

September 14th

THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Exaposteilaria

Byzantine Tone 2

Special Melody: *While Thy disciples looked on Thee*

E



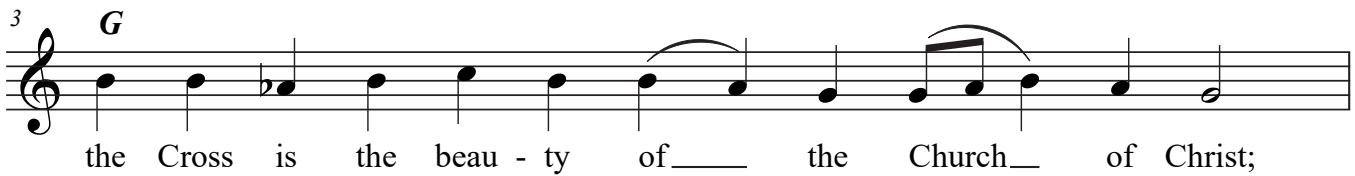
The Cross is the guard - i - an of the whole world;

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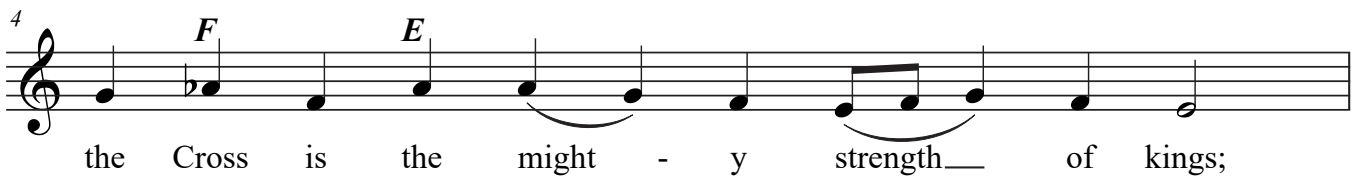
the Cross is the sup - port and staff of the faith - ful;

3 *G*



the Cross is the beau - ty of the Church of Christ;

4 *F* *E*



the Cross is the might - y strength of kings;

5 *Un.* *G*



the Cross is the glo - ry of An - - - gels;

6 *E*



it is the wound - ing of de - - - mons.

Exaposteilaria for the Exaltation of the Holy Cross - 2

Byzantine Mode 2

Special Melody: *Hearken, ye women*

7 **G** **F** **E**

To - day the Cross is lift - ed up, and all the world is

8 **G**

sanc - ti - fied. For Thou, while throned with the Fa - ther

9 **F** **E** **G**

and with thē All - ho - ly Spir - it, by stretch - ing out Thy

10 **F** **E** **G**

hands there - on, hast drawn the whole world to Thy - self, that it might

11

know Thee, O my Christ. There - fore, vouch - safe di - vine glo - ry

12 **G** *Un. rit.* **F** **G**

to them that trust in thy good - ness.